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BICYCLERS ASK FOR PRIVILEGES

PROVISIONS OF LAW THE LEGISLATURE WILL CONSIDER.

Punishment For Those Who Purloin Bikes—No License Fee Should be Exacted From Owners—The Right to Transport Wheels on the Railroads.

Officers of the Wisconsin division of the League of American Wheelmen are considering several proposed measures for passage in the legislature this winter. The bills will be for carrying bicycles on railroads as baggage, for increasing the penalty of stealing bicycles and for the repeal of the statute which provides for licensing bicycles.

The proposed law with reference to carrying bicycles as baggage, will be along the same lines as the measures introduced in the legislature two years ago. The bill was defeated by a powerful railroad lobby at that time, but the L. A. W. officials say they have the assurance of many members of the legislature this year that the measure will be passed. The bill has not yet been drafted, but it will be drawn up in the near future by Chief Council Van Valkenburg and Martin C. Rotier, who will be appointed chairman of the Transportation committee of the division.

During the past few years there has been so much bicycle stealing in this state that the wheelmen feel the need of more stringent laws on the subject. It is argued that it is easy for a thief to ride off on a wheel and that the only manner in which wheelmen can be protected is to provide harsh treatment for this crime. Therefore it is proposed to have special legislation enacted providing a penalty of from six months to two years' imprisonment for stealing bicycles.

When the state statutes were revised last summer, a clause was inserted giving the cities power to "regulate and license" bicycles. This clause was later adopted at the special session of the legislature in August and it has since become a law. The officers of the L. A. W. say they have no objections to having cities regulate the use of bicycles, but they object to having the cities license wheels. They say they are already obliged to pay a state tax and if the cities are empowered to license bicycles, it will not only impose an extra burden on them, but it will also place the wheelmen in danger of being arrested while touring. A Milwaukee wheelman, it is argued, might start out on a trip to Madison and while passing through Oconomowoc and Watertown could be compelled to pay another license in each place if these cities saw fit to impose one. It is also argued that the law is unjust and therefore its repeal will be asked.

The Good Roads league and members of the Century club of this state will ask the legislature this winter to enact legislation providing for state aid in the improvement and building of roads. At present all roads are paid for by the county in which they are built and adjoining property owners. It is proposed to have the legislature pass an amendment to the state constitution so that the state can bear one-third of the burden, the county third and the property owners whose lands abut the roads the other third.

RICO PROVOKED MASSACRE.

Madrid, Jan. 7.—Public feeling here runs strongly against Capt.-Gen. Rios, for it is believed that the massacre of the Spanish colony in Balabagan was in retaliation for the executions ordered by Rios during the last days of his command at Iloilo.

The Americans in the Philippines, according to advices received here from Manila, are powerless to obtain the liberation of the Spanish prisoners held there as hostages of independence.

Elected by the Ohio Miners.

Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 7.—The Ohio mine-workers today elected officers as follows: President, William H. Haskins, Murray City; vice-president, D. H. Sullivan, Coshocton; secretary and treasurer, Thomas L. Lewis, Bridgeport. A grievance committee reported 125 destitute miners at Rendville, and several in the Sunday Creek valley. An eight-hour day was favored by a majority of the delegates.

Minister Conger Protests.

Pekin, Jan. 7.—The United States minister here, Edwin H. Conger, acting upon instructions received from Washington, vigorously protested yesterday against the extension of the French, or any other power's, exclusive concession at Shanghai, but he urged the extension of the existing settlement on an international basis.

Speeches Against Expansion.

Cincinnati, Jan. 7.—Col. William Jennings Bryan made an elaborate speech against expansion at the annual Jackson banquet given by the Duckworth club. Democratic leaders from all parts of the state were present to hear the Nebraskan tell why he objected to an American government in the Philippines.

Two Races Are Set Apart.

Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 7.—Two bills have been introduced in the house of the North Carolina legislature requiring all railroads in the state to operate separate coaches for white and colored passengers.

EXPECT A TELEPHONE WAR

The Wisconsin May Soon Slash Rate Prices in Janesville

When the Rock County Telephone company opens up here for business there is likely to be a merry time in Janesville.

The Wisconsin Telephone company, that now occupies the local field here is keeping both eyes open these days, and it is said, will cut present rates in order to meet those of the new company. In other cities through the state where the Wisconsin company has had to contend with new incoming companies, it has in nearly every instance inaugurated a merry war. Members of the Rock County company say that they are not worrying in the least for the reason that their subscribers have signed written contracts for five years.

WHY GUILTY ESCAPE

Truth in the Adams Poisoning Case Would Create a Great Scandal.

New York, Jan. 7.—[Special]—There have been no arrests in the Adams poisoning case, though it is now four days since the police practically finished their case against the only man suspected. If an arrest was made this city will undoubtedly be treated to one of the greatest scandals it has ever known. Men whose names will be dragged into the case are prominent. One of them is being closely watched by detectives. It is said one reason why this man wanted Cornish removed is that Cornish knows something that would forever disgrace him.

BICYCLE MATCH IS ON

Twenty-Four Hour Match Began Last Night—Miller Likely to Win.

New York, Jan. 7.—[Special]—The bicycle race for the twenty-four hour championship started last night. The starters were Pierce, Hale, Miller, Waller, Albert, Hicks, Gimma, Lawson, Stevens, Turville, Fredericks, Julius, Nawn and Barnaby. Hicks and Albert returned this morning. Miller was three and a half miles behind the leaders at ten, but is riding like a fiend to catch up.

PASSED A BAD NIGHT

Chairman Dingley Suffered Much During the Night, and Is Growing Weaker.

Washington, Jan. 7.—[Special]—Mr. Dingley passed a bad night. He seemed much weaker this morning. He is suffering greatly, and fears are entertained that he cannot last long.

At noon Mr. Dingley was reported sinking.

PRaise TOMMY SULLIVAN

Well Known Local Base Ball Player Is Well Thought Of.

A well known base ball player who will be on the diamond this season writes an interesting article for the Rainey Journal this week.

In speaking of the Wisconsin ball tossers he has the following to say of a well known Janesville boy:

"Tommy Sullivan, the Janesville shortstop, is another fast man, and is plenty speedy enough for the Western association and for the Western league for that matter. He bats well and is a most promising young infielder. He will bear watching."

Petition from Porto Ricans.

Washington, Jan. 7.—A petition has been received by the senate from the American Association of Porto Rico asking for the establishment of free trade relations between that island and the United States and the abrogation of the tariff established by the military authorities. They also ask for the retirement of the Porto Rican currency and the substitution of the money of the United States.

After St. Louis Officials.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 7.—A special to the Post-Dispatch from Jefferson City, Mo., says that in the senate today Senator Major of Pike county introduced a resolution and it was adopted by acclamation providing for the appointment of a committee of six to investigate every department of the municipal and state government of St. Louis.

Successor to Baron Rothschild.

London, Jan. 7.—The Hon. Lionel Walter Rothschild has been elected member of parliament for the Aylesbury division of Buckinghamshire without opposition, succeeding his uncle, the late Baron Ferdinand James de Rothschild. The latter held the seat in the union liberal interest.

Amends the Divorce Bill.

Bismarck, N. D., Jan. 7.—The senate passed by unanimous vote the LaMoore divorce bill, amending the residence provisions of the divorce law to twelve months, and providing that none but residents of the United States may begin actions.

To CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Tablets. All drugs refund the money if it fails to cure. 25¢ The genuine has L. B. T. on each tablet.

GOV. SCOFIELD IS DOWN WITH GRIP

PREVAILING MALADY SEIZES THE EXECUTIVE.

Was Compelled to Leave His Office, And Will Not Be Able to Attend to Business Till Some Time Next Week—His Symptoms Are Not Dangerous.

Madison, Jan. 7.—[Special]—With many of the symptoms of the grip Gov. Scofield was yesterday compelled to leave the executive office and retire to his home, where he will be obliged to remain for a week or more. For several days past he has been feeling badly, but supposed he was merely suffering from a slight cold. Yesterday, however, he was unable to rise, and it is thought that he will not be able to be at his office before some time next week. His

disintegration of the rebel chief's forces is rapidly progressing. Many of his followers are beginning to see that they have been deceived by him, and that the assumption of sovereignty over the islands by the United States does not mean the perpetuation of the bondage of the people. When they learn that under the American flag the humblest citizen will receive equal privileges with the most wealthy they will flock to the American standard by thousands and Aguinaldo will find himself absolutely without a following. It is the belief of Gen. Otis that the entire force will lay down its arms in the course of a few weeks and swear allegiance to the United States. Even then, however, they will have to be watched, for they are as treacherous as any mortals the nation has ever had dealings with.

PURIFYING CUBA.

Work Will Probably Be Placed Under Control of the Army.

Washington, Jan. 7.—[Special]—There is likely to be a dispute as to what department shall be entrusted with the duty of purifying Cuba of the germs of disease. The medical staff of the army wants to undertake the task, while the treasury department regards it as a part of its privilege to supervise the work. It now looks as if the former will triumph. Force will be required in some instances to compel obedience to the sanitary requirements, and this will call for the use of the army. Most officials here would prefer to entrust the work to army officers, for then it would be thoroughly done. It is believed that the president is among this number.

While it is the opinion of every one that Gov. Scofield is a very sick man, there are few fears that he will not recover. He has taken good care of himself throughout life as far as circumstances would admit, and is in a better condition than most men of his age. He has no inherent weakness in any of his vital organs, and under favorable conditions he will round out the dangerous period of the disease with little difficulty. The greatest danger his physicians anticipate is in keeping him quiet, for he is anxious to be at his office, although he should not be out of bed.

ARE GOING TO MANILA.

Several Ships Have Been Ordered to the Philippines.

Washington, Jan. 7.—[Special]—Orders were issued this morning directing the supply ship Solace to proceed immediately to Manila.

Washington, Jan. 7.—[Special]—The navy department has decided to send no less than four vessels to reinforce Dewey. In addition to the Helena and Gaspar already en route, the Princeton, Yorktown and Bennington may go with the Solace.

TO DEVELOP CUBA.

Company Organized to Carry on Import-ant Public Works.

Trenton, N. J., Jan. 7.—[Special]—The Havana Electric Railway company, with capital of five million, incorporated this morning. The objects of the concern are to supply electricity in the West Indies, operate railway and steamship lines, acquire real estate, mineral water, timber and oil properties, build reservoirs and sewerage, and all other public or private works.

CONGO REBELS AHEAD

Defeat the Belgian Troops and Slaughter a Garrison of Two Hundred.

Indianapolis, Jan. 7.—[Special]—A meeting will be held here Monday between the chief and other prominent officers of the five great railway organizations to discuss questions pertaining to legislation in which railroad men are interested. Two cent fares will be proposed, an anti-scalping law will be favored, and a movement to secure legislation that will render strikes unnecessary will be discussed.

FORECAST OF WEATHER

Chicago, Jan. 7.—[Special]—Forecast for Wisconsin:

Fair, continued cold tonight and Sunday.

LARGE RAILROAD EARNINGS

The Milwaukee Road Find the Local Field Very Profitable.

The Milwaukee road's gross earnings, for the fourth week in December were made public last evening. They aggregate \$1,135,556, and show the following as compared with the previous six years:

Increase over 1897.....\$251,982
Increase over 1896.....320,114
Increase over 1895.....341,004
Increase over 1894.....559,350
Increase over 1893.....376,727
Increase over 1892.....157,914

Janesville is an exceptionally good town for the road, and during the past year their freight and passenger business here has shown an increase of several hundred dollars over 1897.

INSURGENT ARMY IS DEMORALIZED

AGUINALDO'S FORCES SHOW SIGNS OF WEAKNESS.

He Will Be Unable to Hold Them Together—American Freedom is Not Understood by the Natives—Purification of Cuba Will be Undertaken By the Army.

Washington, Jan. 7.—[Special]—The news from the Philippines is more encouraging during the past few days. The defeat of the rebels at Iloilo leaves them little hope of success. Aguinaldo is reported as discouraged at the prospect and is willing to treat for peace. He has not received punishment enough yet, however, and it will doubtless be some time before he is in the mood to accept such terms as the United States is disposed to grant him.

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MOTHER AND BABE PLACED IN JAIL

FRED VAN KIRK WRITES HOME

Has Reengaged in the Grocery Business Near Portland, Oregon.

Fred Van Kirk, a former well known resident who for several years was engaged in the grocery business here, writes friends from Mount Tabor, Oregon; that he has re-engaged in the grocery business there in partnership with a well known resident of that place, which is a thriving suburb of Portland. Mr. Van Kirk has also made the purchase of a few acres of land that surrounds a very pretty home that he now calls his own.

He says that Oregon is the true garden spot in this country, and that the climate there is delightful the year round.

SEVEN HUNDRED FURNISHED WORK

TOBACCO WAREHOUSES HERE OPENING.

The Busiest Packing Season in the History of Janesville Is Now Confronting the Town—The '98 Crop Is Being Eagerly Sought by Buyers

Several New Dealers.

Before the end of next month in the neighborhood of 700 hands will be furnished employment in the leaf tobacco warehouses of Janesville. Several of the warehouses have already opened with good sized working forces. Those now in operation and the number of hands employed by each are as follows:

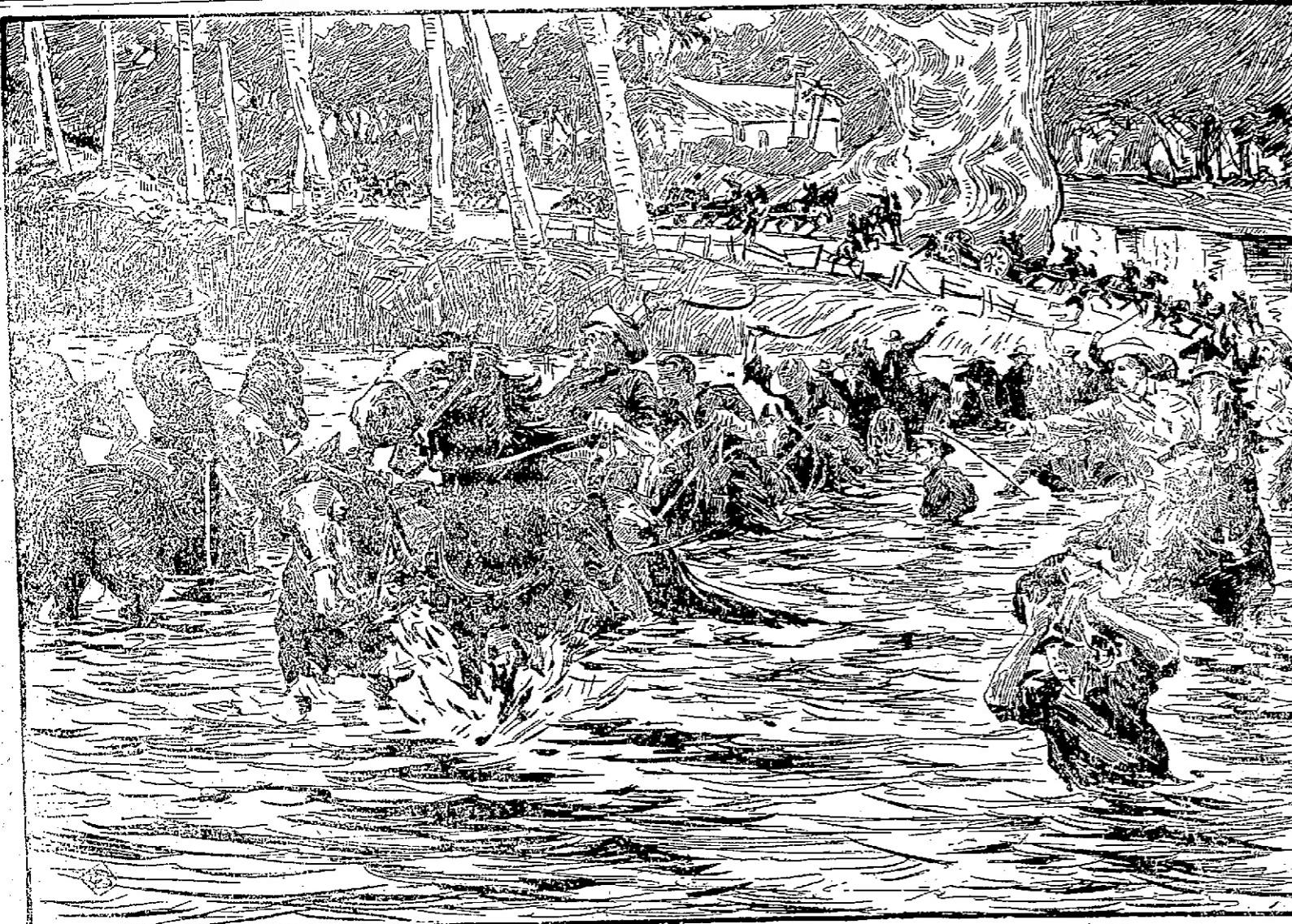
	Hands Employ'd
S. B. Hoddles	75
Soverhill & Porter	45
Thomas E. Welsh	30
George H. Burnell	30
J. L. & M. F. Green	30
Samuel Grundy	15
Burt Richardson	5
Total	240

Within the next few days these firms will increase their help, some of them employing more than double their present force. Next week will see the opening of several more of the local warehouses that expect to employ the following number of hands, from the start:

	Hands Employ'd
L. B. Carlis	75
J. Marquise	75
A. N. Jones	50
J. A. Ryan	35
Fisher & Fisher	10
R. L. Butler	20
Total	285

As the tobacco comes into the market more hands will be added, so that by the end of this month in the neighborhood of 700 will be furnished employment. John A. Decker, J. B. Dearborn, Frank S. Barnes, Joseph Grundy, M. H. Soverhill and C. J. Jones are dealers controlling warehouses here, who will soon start with large forces. George H. Burnell will give employment to many hands next week at his Evansville warehouse, while at Clinton next week S. B. Hoddles will open a warehouse furnishing work to many.

Charles Culton, of Edgerton, will begin to pack here this season, as will



MAJOR RODNEY'S FAMOUS MARCH IN PUERTO RICO. From HARPER'S WEEKLY
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No doubt the roads were bad in Flanders, and that was a chief reason why the armies there swore so terribly. One cannot look at our reproduction of Mr. Walker's spirited drawing in this week's Harpers Weekly of an incident in the Puerto Rico campaign without long ing to know what Major Rodney's men were saying. Perhaps, though, it is a carte, and that everything went off well. More or less general impression that the Puerto Rico campaign was all picnic; without timely pushing. Mr. Walker has made it clear that all the marching was done over a fine military road built by the Spanish; that every one had coffee and boiled eggs for breakfast, and other meals a la militaire.

Major Rodney's had very little of the picnic element about it. Whether twenty-four miles a day is a big march for artillery or not depends, of course, on the roads. In this case it was undoubtedly big.

INSTALL THEIR NEW OFFICERS

ODD FELLOWS HAVE AN INTERESTING CEREMONY.

New List of Officials Enter Upon the Discharge of Their Duties and Celebrate the Event With a Supper-Grand Army Passes Under New Control.

Rock River Encampment No. 3, I. O. O. F., last evening chose the following officers for the ensuing year:

Chief Patriarch—W. H. Parish.
High Priest—F. L. Smith.
Senior Warden—L. T. Clark.
Scribe—James L. Davy.
Treasurer—W. H. Burchell.
Financial Secretary—A. H. Taylor.
Junior Warden—T. H. D. Bidwell.
Guide—R. G. Merrill.
First Watch—James A. Fathers.
Second Watch—Ben Plowright.
Third Watch—F. C. Clifcorn.
Fourth Watch—Walter S. Kerry.
Inside Sentinel—O. E. Smith, Jr.
Outside Sentinel—Jerome Howland.
First Guard of Tent—Walter Rice.
Second Guard of Tent—C. J. Jellyman.

A fine supper was spread after the election, of which all present partook heartily. Dancing and card games filled out the remainder of the evening.

The installation of officers of W. H. Sargent Post No. 20, G. A. R., took place last evening, Past Commander S. C. Cobb officiating when the following were installed into office:

Commander—S. C. Burnham.
Senior Vice Commander—E. O. Kimball.

Junior Vice Commander—W. J. McIntyre.

Chaplain—W. G. Palmer.
Surgeon—Dr. J. B. Whiting.
Quartermaster—C. I. Schottle.
Officer of the Day—Robert Scott.
Officer of the Guard—John Lawyer.
Adjutant—J. L. Bear.

Sergeant Major—Martin Halverson.
The following standing committees

Terribly Afflicted

Little Girl Could Hardly Breath Owing to Catarrh

Hood's Sarsaparilla Cured Her and Her Worn Out Mother.

"My little girl was terribly afflicted with catarrh and she could hardly breathe at night. She took many different medicines without benefit and we became almost discouraged. One day I read an advertisement of Hood's Sarsaparilla and concluded to try it. She began taking it and was soon relieved. I believe she is now permanently cured, as she has not been troubled with catarrh for some time. I was run down in health myself and suffered constantly with backache, and felt all worn out. I thought Hood's Sarsaparilla might help me and I began taking it and it has cured me. I have not had any return of the lameness in my back or tired feeling." MRS. A. H. ALLMAN, Medford, Wisconsin.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the best—in fact the One True Blood Purifier. Sold by all druggists. Price \$1.50 for 45.

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CHURCHES WILL BE OF INTEREST TO ALL

TOPICS THAT WILL BE DISCUSSED IN THE PULPITS.

Rev. Mr. Kempton Will Criticise the Critics at the Baptist Church—Epworth League Gathering of the Methodist Congregations—Themes For Discussion.

The churches should be marked tomorrow by a large attendance. The weather has grown to cold too admit of outdoor recreations of any sort, and the sheltering walls of the churches are grateful to chilled mortality. All the houses of worship are comfortably heated, and one can pass a couple of hours pleasantly. The local clergy are earnest, hard working students who endeavor to benefit in some manner all who sit under their administrations. They have chosen topics for tomorrow's discourses that will prove of great general interest, and they should have a general hearing:

The following are the announcements for tomorrow's services:

Court Street M. E. Church—Morning services as usual, the pastor preaching on one method of service and worship.

A grand Epworth League service at 6 a.m. will be led by Rev. W. P. Leek, of Clinton, and will be composed of both Epworth Leagues.

At 7 p.m. a platform service will be held. This will be the closing service of the Epworth League rally and union of Court Street and First M. E. churches. The crowd will be large and the interest intense.

Rev. W. P. Leek, Rev. W. W. Woodside, and the pastor will all speak. There will be extra music. Miss Emma Grace Hall will sing "Out of the Depths," Campani. Old as well as young are invited.

First M. E. Church—The Sunday services at the first church are as follows:

From 9 to 10 Epworth League love feast service. At 10:30 Rev. Wm. P. Steele, of Clinton, president of the Janesville District Epworth League, will preach. The pastor will be present and have charge of the services.

Grand children's rally at 3 p.m., conducted by Miss Allie Millar, of Milton. Sunday school at 12 m. No evening services.

Union Young People's service and platform meeting at Court street.

First Baptist Church—Rev. Arthur C. Kempton, pastor. Public worship with sermon by pastor at 10:30 a.m.; subject, "Critics and Criticism Criticized." Anthems by trained quartet.

Sunday school at noon. Y. P. S. C. E. at 3 p.m. People's gospel service, with pointed sermon, bright music, and ten-minute after-meeting, at 7:00 p.m.

Sermon theme, "At the Door." A warm welcome for everyone at all services.

Christ Church—First Sunday after Epiphany. Celebration of the Holy Communion at 8:00 a.m. Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Morning service and sermon 10:30 a.m. Sermon topic, "The Light of the World." Young People's service 6:00 p.m. Evening service and sermon 7:00 p.m. Sermon topic, "Our Father's Business." Service Friday 7:15 p.m.

Congregational Church—Morning service 10:30 o'clock, sermon by the pastor, Rev. Robert C. Denison, on "The Ideal and Method of Jesus." Sabbath school at 12 m. Service of Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 p.m. Evening service at 7 o'clock, sermon topic, "What Has Not Been Done May Be." Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30.

First Church of Christ, Scientist—Services are held in Columbia hall, corner Jackson and Milwaukee streets.

Sunday 19:30 a.m. Wednesday 7:45 p.m. Sunday topic, "Life." Sunday School immediately after morning service. All are welcome.

Presbyterian Church—Morning service at 10:30 o'clock. Sermon by the pastor, Rev. Edward H. Pence. Subject, "Our Thinking and Our Life." Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject, "How Faith Saves Us." Young people's meeting at 6 p.m. Bible school at 12 noon.

Mary Kimball Mission—106 South Jackson street. Missionary Mary Kimball, pastor. Sunday school at 2 p.m. Preaching at 3:15 p.m. and at 7:30 p.m. Meetings every evening except Monday and Saturday evenings, commencing at 7:30. Everybody welcome.

St. Patrick's Church—First mass, 7:30 a.m.; second mass, 9:00 a.m.; third mass, 10:30 a.m. Evening devotions, 7:30. Rev. Eugene M. McGinnity, dean; Rev. J. J. Collins, assistant.

St. Mary's Church—First mass, 8:30 a.m., second mass, 10:30 a.m.; evening devotions, 7:30 p.m.; Sunday school, 9 a.m. Rev. Wm. A. Goebel, pastor.

BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL GOSSIP

McNAMARA sells hardware.

APPLES \$3.00 per barrel. Sanborn.

JACKETS at half price. Bort, Bailey & Co.

APPLES \$3 per barrel, plenty of them. Sanborn.

The only genuine Pocahontas coal. F. A. Taylor & Co.

TRY Imperial wheat breakfast food, 5¢ a pound; 6 lbs. 25¢, at Sanborn's.

DR. SPEECE, diseases of woman and children. Over Bort, Bailey Co. Tel. 250.

Dry wood, sawed, split and delivered to any part of the city. F. A. Taylor & Co.

We have some very fancy Hubbard squash running from 10 to 20 cents each. The nicest on the market. Sanborn.

LITTLE business of importance aside from the allowance of a few bills, was transacted at the meeting of the board education last evening.

ALL those handsome jackets we had in stock are reduced to half price, and ladies are buying them freely. Bort, Bailey & Co.

The very jacket you want may be gone if you delay the purchase too long. Half price is marked on every one. Bort, Bailey & Co.

A new breakfast food in bulk called Imperial. It is a wheat product and is very nice. 5¢ a pound, 6 pounds for 25¢. Sanborn.

JANESVILLE Rebecca Lodge No. 171, will give their annual masquerade at the Armory Feb. 10, for which invitations will be issued and liberal prizes offered.

HUXLEY's cocoa sells in Chicago at wholesale, 49¢ per pound can. Our price retail is but 20¢ per $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. can. This is only one of our many bargains. Sanborn.

READ Weisend's large local headed "Final Wind-up, Closing-Out, Slaughter Sale." This sale will not last much longer, and it is worth your while to purchase of him and save money.

The Epworth League rally at the Court Street M. E. church was well attended. The sermon was delivered by Presiding Elder Pease, and the musical part of the program was especially interesting.

Odd Fellow and Rebekah masquerade ball in East Side Odd Fellows hall, Thursday night, January 12. Odd Fellows and their families need no invitation. Tickets for sale at Smith's pharmacy.

FRANK H. BAICK has bought the stock of furnishing goods of John Knell and will close it out in the next ten days at the old stand. 25 to 35 per cent discount on all regular prices. Come early before the assortment and sizes are broken.

The meeting for men at 3 p.m. tomorrow at the Y. M. C. A. building is open to all men. Good singing and a profitable place to spend an hour. A. E. Matheson will be the leader. Every man in the city is urged to bring his friends and enjoy the hour from 3 to 4.

REV. W. A. Hall, pastor of the Court Street M. E. church, delivered a very interesting address to the students of Valentine's School of Telegraph at the meeting of their literary society last evening, which the students appreciated very much. The students wish to thank him and say they will be glad to hear him talk at any time he may attend their meetings.

THERE will be a joint installation of officers of Florence Camp No. 366, Modern Woodmen of America, and Crystal Camp No. 132, Royal Neighbors of America, at West Side Odd Fellows' hall on Monday evening of next week, January 9. The families of the members of both orders and their invited friends will be welcome.

HIS HONOR ON FRANCHISE

Mayor Thoroughgood Gives His Views at the Milwaukee Conference

At the meeting of the League of Wisconsin Municipalities at Milwaukee yesterday, Mayor Thoroughgood, of this city, in discussing the subject of franchises to companies furnishing public utilities, spoke of the conditions as they existed in his own city. They had granted franchises to street railways and water companies, and had had no problems of this character to solve. Janesville was organized under a special charter, which prescribed the duties of the mayor. "If we are to have experts in city administration," said Mayor Thoroughgood, "the terms of office should be lengthened. One difficulty with a general charter law is to adapt it to the needs of cities in widely varying circumstances. What is needed for Milwaukee would not do for Janesville. By bringing the matter of better municipal government before the people, in time we shall secure what we have long needed."

STATE PAYS ARMORY RENT

Light Infantry Is Not Responsible For The Amount Due.

The statement that the Janesville Light Infantry company owed \$250 for armory rent was a mistake.

The state was responsible for the amount, and Custodian Rentchler, who has charge of the armory, has been notified by Adjutant General Boardman that the state will pay the bill.

SUFFERING WITH PARALYSIS

Con. McGinley, of this City, Is Now Very Ill.

Con. McGinley, of William street was taken suddenly ill yesterday, and Dr. James Mills, who was called, found that he was suffering from a stroke of paralysis. His left arm and leg are helpless, and his present condition is one to cause his friends much worry. Mr. McGinley is about seventy years of age, and is a man who has resided in Janesville for many years.

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BIRTHS DIMINISH

DEATHS INCREASE

INTERESTING REPORT OF YEAR JUST PASSED

Records Show an Alarming Increase In The Death Rate For 1898—More Marriages Are Recorded Than in 1897, But the Birth Rate Is Much Smaller.

Accurate statements of the number of marriages and deaths of the year 1898 have been gained from the books of Register of Deeds O. D. Rowe.

These records show during the year just passed there have been performed in Rock county 599 marriages against 533 in 1897.

The records also show that an alarming increase in the number of people who have died during the year 1898. Figures show the number of deaths to be 553 during 1898 compared to a total of 270 during the year 1897. A number of the local physicians when informed of this fact today said that they were unable to account for it.

In the matter of births recorded the figures given are only approximate, for the reason that in some towns in the county records are not kept up with any great regularity. Physicians conform to the bare requirements of the law, and in their busy lives find time for little else. Clergymen do a little better. In the city of Janesville these records are kept up with care, and the showing over the county is much better than it used to be.

Figures on births for the year show some contraries. Approximate figures show the number of births to have been 350 during the twelve months ending December 31, 1898. This is considerable falling off from the previous year. During 1897 the approximate number of births was 457.

People do not seem to understand that every householder under whose roof a birth occurs is to report the same or be liable to a fine. Many people think they are required to report to the office of the register of deeds, but in this they are mistaken. The health officer of their district is the proper person, and he in turn makes the report to the county officials. This is a matter that it will pay all interested to heed. With fewer births and an increased total of deaths this does not look well for the future.

A TIN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.

Several Guests Surprised Stanley B. Smith and Wife This Afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley B. Smith were happily surprised today by receiving a number of acceptances on tin conveying them their first information that a number of their friends intended to make merry at their spacious Forest Park home this evening.

The occasion was in honor of their tin wedding anniversary, and at 5:30 o'clock the self-invited guests proceeded to the Smith home, where a bounteous repast will be in order at 6 o'clock. A number of presents appropriate to the occasion will be presented the happy couple.

In honor of Mrs. Hamilton Richardson, of Milwaukee, Mrs. E. E. Spalding entertained the members of the Chafing Dish club this afternoon at her Milwaukee home.

Members of the Ladies' Afternoon

Whist club were entertained most delightfully this afternoon by Mrs. E. F. Carpenter, at her East street home.

AMONG THE CITY DOCTORS

Elected Officers and Listen to an Address on Insanity.

The Rock County Medical society held its annual meeting last evening, at which the following officers were chosen:

President—Dr. E. E. Loomis.

First Vice President—Dr. W. H. Judd.

Second Vice President—Dr. M. A. Cunningham.

Secretary—Dr. Geo. W. Fifield.

Treasurer—Dr. R. W. Edden.

Censor for three years—Dr. J. F. Palmer.

Dr. S. B. Buckmaster defined what he regarded as unsoundness of mind. He treated insanity and its several developments through sacred and profane history. He claimed that the line between sanity and insanity was as ill defined as between daylight and darkness, and that it was impossible to draw a line and say *one* on one side all are sane and upon the other all are insane. In all forms of acquired insanity the only test was the change in the character of the individual.

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MORE ARCHITECTS COMING

For That Reason the Building Committee Will Not Select Now.

The county board building committee consisting of J. D. Godfrey, of Lima J. B. Bailey, of Beloit, and Edward Rutherford, of this city, inspected plans for the proposed county basilile at the court house today and yesterday.

Four jail building firms from Milwaukee, Appleton and St. Louis submitted plans and specifications, but nothing definite will be done until next week, when it is expected that several more outside firms will send agents here with plans to be submitted.

LARGE TOBACCO ACREAGE

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KATH STILL SERIOUSLY ILL

The Fracture of His Spine May Cause His Death.

William Kath, of 211 West Bluff street, who experienced a terrible fall from the People's Ice company's house early in the week, is still in much pain. The injury to his spine is his greatest trouble and the attending physician is yet unable to tell whether or not he will recover.

Mrs. James Sutherland, who was so badly scalded, is still suffering much, and although she shows some improvement the attending physician still considers her condition of a serious nature.

Frances Murphy, the temperance advocate, is still at the Palmer hospital doctoring for a severe attack of the grip. His condition shows a change for the better.

WORK OF THE GRIM REAPER

Joseph Fellows, an old resident of Rock County, died at his home in Johnson Center on Thursday night last.

Death was caused by the infirmities of old age accentuated by a attack of pneumonia. Mr. Fellows was 82 years old. He came to Wisconsin in 1837 from New Hampshire and settled in Johnson Center. His wife preceded him to the unknown world several years ago. Mr. Fellows lived an upright and godly life and drew about him a large circle of friends. He leaves four sons, W. E. Fellows, Jefferson; H. P. Fellows, St. Paul; John Fellows, Whitewater, Wis.; William Fellows, of Johnson Center; one daughter, Mrs. William Caldo, of Johnson Center; also a brother, John A. Fellows, of this city, and a sister in East Franklin, New Hampshire.

The remains will be interred in the cemetery at Johnson Center on Monday next at 1 o'clock.

Edward Leahy.

Edward Leahy, a well known conductor on the Chicago & Northwestern road, died at 9:30 last evening, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Leahy, No. 508 Pleasant street. He was twenty-four years old, unmarried and was very popular with his associates.

He was faithful in the performance of his duties and his death coming just as he was in the prime of his young manhood was sincerely regretted by a host of friends in this locality. Besides his parents, who are almost heartbroken at the death of their son, he leaves four brothers and one sister, D. M. Leahy, of Chicago; J. J. Leahy, of Milwaukee; T. F. Leahy, M. J. Leahy, and Mrs. T. Mulligan, all of this city.

The funeral will be held on Monday morning the hour having been decided upon. The interment will be in Mount Olivet cemetery.

Edward Erickson.

The funeral of the late Edward Erickson

BIG BUSINESS EXPECTED.

Coming Year Promises to Be a Prosperous One.

HAS HAD A GOOD BEGINNING.

Demand for Finished Products Has Improved Prices—Large Foreign Demand—Movement for Wheat and Corn—Failure for the Week.

New York, Jan. 7.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says: "The year begins with the kind of business demand that counts. For months there has been a rising demand for materials, but now the crowding demand for finished products begins to advance prices, in the iron and steel industry, about 1 per cent, without quotable changes in pig, except at the east. Beams have advanced \$2 a ton, angles \$1, bars \$1, and plates are strong, with an Australian order for 32,000 tons refused at Chicago because the works are already overcrowded. The woolen manufacturer has a similar embarrassment. While the market is gradually yielding, because people apprehend the magnitude of stocks on hand, which the Boston Commercial Bulletin reports at 291,000,000 pounds, an increase in its account of 114,000,000 pounds for the year, yet prices are not low enough to encourage large buying or consumption by the manufacturers. The wheat movement has to sustain the largest foreign demand movement ever known for wheat and corn together, and Atlantic exports of 5,214,420 bushels, flour included, against 2,840,318 bushels last year, with Pacific exports of 614,833, against 872,446 last year, would give some reason to anticipate higher prices were not the western receipts 4,101,532 bushels, against 2,876,072 bushels for the same week last year."

"Failures for the week have been 243 in the United States, against 322 last year, and 24 in Canada, against 32 last year."

A Card

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50c bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25 cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded. People's Drug Co., H.E. Rauous & Co.

Catalogue Board of Trade.

Chicago, Jan. 6.—The following table shows the range of quotations on the Board of Trade to-day:

	Closing	High.	Low.	Jan. 5.	Jan. 5.
Wheat					
May ..	\$.71%	\$.69%	\$.70	\$.70%	
July ..	.69%	.67%	.68		
Corn					
Jan. ..					
May ..	.37%	.36%	.36%	.36%	
July ..	.37%	.36%	.37	.37%	
Oats					
Jan. ..					
May ..	.27%	.27	.27	.27%	
July ..	.26	.25%	.25%	.25%	
Pork					
Jan. ..					
May ..	10.42%	10.00	10.00	10.30	
Lard					
Jan. ..					
May ..	5.57%	5.42%	5.42%	5.52%	
Short Ribs					
Jan. ..					
May ..	5.80	5.62%	5.62%	5.75	
Short Ribs					
Jan. ..					
May ..	5.12%	4.97%	4.97%	5.05	

Sneeze that cough. Take warning. It may lead to consumption. A 25¢ Pot of Shiloh's cure may save your life. For sale by People's Drug Co.

Chance to Push Trade.

Washington, Jan. 7.—Consul General Goodnow of Shanghai writes to a correspondent in New York strongly recommending an American-Chinese composition in Shanghai. He says that practically all foreign trade for the middle and north of China goes through Shanghai, and an exposition there will reach the trade of Yaungtse Kiang valley and the north. He says that the customs reports show that the imports from the United States have increased at the expense of imports from other nations. We are nearer the Chinese market, freights are less and the feeling of the Chinese is more friendly to Americans than to any other nationality.

La grippe is again epidemic. Every precaution should be taken to avoid it. Its specific cure is One Minute Cough Cure. A. J. Shepard, publisher Agricultural Journal and Advertiser, Elgin, Ill., says: "No one will be disappointed in using One Minute Cough Cure for grippe." Pleasant to take. Quick to act. People's Drug Co., corner Main and Milwaukee streets.

Big ...

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 7.—A big railroad deal involving \$60,000,000 will in all probability be consummated in this next week, when four western railroads will be consolidated and controlled by eastern capital. The railroads to enter the deal are the Kansas City, Pittsburg & Gulf; the Kansas City & Northern; the Omaha, Kansas City & Eastern, and the Omaha & St. Louis. The combined length of the four roads is 1,400 miles, and it is understood that the new company will be capitalized at \$25,000 a mile, or \$35,000,000, and bonded at about \$25,000,000.

Mr. Dingley Is Very Low.

Washington, Jan. 7.—The condition of Representative Nelson Dingley of Maine, who has been ill with pneumonia for almost a week, has undergone a marked change for the worse, and his physicians hold out little if any hope for recovery. ... of the day Friday the ... serious and appears extracts from



VELVET AND SATIN REDINGOTE COSTUME FROM HARPER'S BAZAAR

The redingote, the original model of which was made in black velvet, represents a design of extreme elegance. The skirt of the redingote is plainly fitted, and all the fulness, which spreads into a graceful demi-train, is formed into a succession of inward turning pleats under the centre back seam. The front of the garment fits perfectly until it reaches a point within one inch of the centre front seam. Here it is free from the medium size, one will require 12 yards of velvet, 22 inches wide, and 5 yards of white satin of the same width. The fur and lace may be estimated and purchased more economically if the edge of the vest of chiffon horizontally rippled over satin. The sleeves are of a scant coat variety, exquisitely fitted. A band of chinchilla outlines the prevailing circular design, smoothly entire garment, the border being fitted over the hips, is here employed.

speeches he had made on the tariff in the house of representatives. He was conscious only when aroused. The physicians say there must be a radical change one way or the other very soon.

Still in an Indian County.

Martinsville, Ind., Jan. 7.—The board of county commissioners have ordered County Attorney W. R. Harrison, republican, and County Auditor J. S. Whittaker, democrat, to employ assistants and investigate the records of all offices collecting county fees for four years back. If warranted further investigation will be held. All officers to be investigated are republicans, as are the board of commissioners.

Refugees from Manila.

San Francisco, Jan. 7.—Among the passengers on the steamer Doris were ten Spanish priests of the St. Augustine order, refugees from the wrath of Aguinaldo, who have been in hiding in Manila for several months and are now on their way to Panama, expecting to find a new field of labor in Central America. They were not in ecclesiastical attire, having discarded it for purposes of disguise when among the Philippine rebels.

Fourth Infantry Goes First.

Washington, Jan. 7.—The Fourth infantry at Fort Sheridan will be in the first detachment of troops sent to Manila. Arrangements were completed today for embarking at New York on the Mohawk Jan. 15. The vessel will proceed to Manila via the Suez canal. Gen. Lawton and staff will sail on the same transport.

HEART FAILURE

has often been styled the cause of death in persons who have long lingered in disease. The amazing work which the heart regularly performs would certainly pre-suppose its breaking down. The most active climber can raise himself 1000 feet in an hour, the best locomotive 4000 feet and the heart 20,000 feet. To preserve its energies in full glow and force, Pabst Malt Extract, The "Best" Tonic, will act as an effective and practical fuel. No steam without fire. No energy without food. No staying power without rich supplies of blood. The heart is the great engine of the body. Keep it going, steadily, easily, persistently, unto a ripe old age.



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PANA OPERATORS' NEW MOVE.
Said to Be Hiring Italian Miners in Chicago.

Pana, Ill., Jan. 7.—Eighteen Italians have arrived here by rail from Chicago. It is said ten of the leading coal operators have procured the services of a labor agency to hire Italians to work in the Pana mines. The operators are apparently becoming dissatisfied with the negroes brought from Alabama, so many of the negroes proving shiftless and turbulent. The Italians on arrival were met by a committee of union miners and escorted to the union headquarters. They seemed to be greatly surprised on learning of the strike, and refused to work with the negroes. The miners' union and citizens are making up a purse and will return the Italians to Chicago.

The bargain seekers should not miss the dainty luncheons served in the dining rooms The Mrs. Clark Co., 151-153 Wabash ave., Chicago. The establishment has recently been refitted, improved and enlarged. It caters to the best—not only in patronage but in the quality of the food, and in the service. Everything is home-like.

Now They Are Strangers.
He—What lovely flowers. Do you know, they are artificial. He—Yes, I know; but it requires close examination to detect it.

Retirements for the Year.

Washington, Jan. 7.—Several important retirements in the navy will occur during the current year. Brig.-Gen. Stanton, paymaster-general, will retire Jan. 30. Brig.-Gen. Flagler, chief of ordnance, June 4; Brig.-Gen. Summer in August next and Brig.-Gen. Shafter Oct. 16.

Paper Mills Burned.
Lima, Ohio, Jan. 7.—The Lima Paper Mills were almost totally destroyed by fire early Friday. The plant was the property of the American Strawboard company. The loss is \$120,000; insurance, \$70,000.

COULD NOT SLEEP.

Mrs. Pinkham Relieved Her of All Her Troubles.

Mrs. MADGE BABCOCK, 176 Second St., Grand Rapids, Mich., had ovarian trouble with its attendant aches and pains, now she is well. Here are her own words:

"Your Vegetable Compound has made me feel like a new person. Before I began taking it I was all run down, fainted and sleepy most of the time, had pains in my back and side, and such terrible headaches all the time, and could not sleep well nights. I also had ovarian trouble. Through the advice of a friend, I began the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and since taking it all troubles have gone. My monthly sickness used to be so painful, but now had the slightest pain since taking your medicine. I cannot praise your Vegetable Compound too much. My husband and friends see such a change in me. I look so much better and have some color in my face."

Mrs. Pinkham invites women who are ill to write to her at Lynn, Mass., for advice, which is freely offered.

A LONG FALL.
Never Would Have Believed It If He Hadn't Seen It.

The man with a bunch of twine for whiskers was shaking his chin at the company of listeners, one of whom had shortly before read from a newspaper a story of a man falling down a well and sustaining no very serious injury, says the Washington Star. "Which reminds me, gents," he said, "that what I am about to relate to you is a fact, a calm, cold fact, that I wouldn't think of telling you if it was anything else. It happened out in one of the deep mines of Colorado, where there was a straight shaft 850 feet deep. Some said it was 875, but, gents, I'm a truthful man, and I know it was 25 feet 1 inch short of that, for I measured it myself. Well, to make a long story short, one day there was a man out to see the mine from New York to buy it. He had a pot of money, and he looked like he carried it around under his vest, for he was as big through as a bass drum and built on them proportions, I guess he weighed 300 pounds, though it might have been only 298. Anyhow, he was standing around the mouth of the shaft one morning, and by some chance or other he toppled over and down he went. I was looking right at him when he toppled, and I never want to see another man's face look like his did then, gents, indeed I don't. Not much. Well, to make a long story short, we looked at each other for a minute as he went down the hole, and then we broke for the cage, which was fastened up yet, and two of us started down after him, expecting to find him a mangled mass at the bottom. But we didn't, and as we began to near the bottom we heard him yelling like a coyote to hold up or we'd smash the life out of him. That scared us worse than the other, and we wanted to go back, but we couldn't do that, so we went slow and got down to him all right. Well, to make a long story short, by gum, do you know that we found that he had gone down that hole so fast and he had filled it so full that he had compressed the air in it to such an extent that by the time he got pretty near to the bottom he wasn't moving faster than he would have moved through that much water, and he had really stopped ten or fifteen feet from the bottom and couldn't get either way, which was what scared him so as we came down on him in the cage. Very peculiar occurrence, gents, and if I hadn't seen it with my own eyes I never would have believed it in the world. Never."

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What Do the Children Drink?

Don't give them tea or coffee. Have you tried the new food drink called Grain-O? It is delicious and nourishing and takes the place of coffee. The more Grain-O you give the children the more health you distribute through their system. Grain-O is pure grain, and nothing is added to it. It is delicious. It costs about 14¢ as much. All grocers sell it. 15 and 25¢.

DR. WOOD

The eminent Chicago specialist will make his next regular monthly visit to

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RAILROAD TIME TABLE

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN

LEAVE FOR ARRIVE FROM

Chicago 4:30 am 12:35 pm

Chicago Via Clinton 6:40 am 9:30 pm

Chicago Via Clinton & Sharon 7:35 am 7:45 pm

Chicago Via Clinton & Sharon 12:40 pm 12:40 pm

Chicago Via Beloit and Harvard 7:20 pm 12:40 pm

Chicago Via Beloit and Harvard 7:00 pm 6:55 am

Beloit, Rockford—DeKalb 2:10 pm 11:40 am

Frederick, Oconomow

LATE NEWS BY TELEGRAPH...

OPPOSED TO EXPANSION.

Caffery of Louisiana Addresses the Senate.

MAKES A STRONG ARGUMENT.

Our Permanent Sway in the Islands, He Says, Can Only Be Maintained by a Strong Military Despotism—Cabinet Meeting.

Washington, Jan. 7.—Immediately after the senate convened Friday the resolution offered Thursday by Mr. Hoar (Mass.), calling on the president for information as to the instructions of the commissioners who negotiated the treaty of Paris, together with all correspondence and reports relating to their work, was laid before the senate. The resolution was adopted in secret session. In support of the resolution offered some time ago by Mr. Vest (Mo.) in opposition to expansion, Mr. Caffery (La.) delivered an extended speech.

Mr. Caffery then entered upon an elaborate argument to show that heretofore it had been the unwavering policy of this government to obtain from the governed their consent before the reins of government were drawn over them. He said even if we had the right to incorporate these distant islands, inhabited by a strange people, into this country, freedom could not exist in the sub-tropics. "The history of the world shows that God has set the bounds where the different peoples of the earth shall abide. When I look at the conditions of the world I am unalterably convinced that no permanent sway can be held by the white man over the black man in the sub-tropics, except by a strong military and cruel despotism."

The cabinet at its meeting gave special consideration to the administration of affairs in Cuba. Nothing will be done in the Santiago matter until Gen. Wood arrives here. Nothing of special interest had been received by the government from Iloilo. Although much interested in the progress of events there, the administration has full confidence in its representatives on the ground, and no further action will be taken until something further is learned as to the situation.

Anti-Civil Service Victory.

Washington, Jan. 7.—The anti-civil-service reformers scored a victory in the house Friday. The legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill was taken up for consideration, and when the appropriation for the civil-service commission was reached, Mr. Evans (rep., Ky.) made a motion to strike it out. This motion has been made annually for a dozen years or more, but has invariably failed. Friday, however, the motion to strike out carried by a narrow majority—67 to 61. This was in committee of the whole, where no record is made of the vote. Mr. Moody (rep., Mass.) gave notice that he would demand a record vote in the house, where the friends of the civil-service law expect to reverse the decision.

Senator Cullom Is Improved.

Washington, Jan. 7.—The condition of Senator Cullom, who had a serious fall last Monday, was so far improved Friday that he was able to leave his bed. He was unable, however, to walk far, and is still confined to his home. The severe bruises of the hip are painful, and the senator will probably not be able to walk much before next week.

Ruling Affects Wage Earners.

Milwaukee, Wis., Jan. 7.—Judge Jenkins, for the United States court of appeals, handed down a decision covering priority claims in bankruptcy cases. The decision applies to the claims of all the laborers of the firm of Rouse, Hazard & Co. of Peoria, Ill., that failed some time ago. The effect is to cut off all claims of wage-earners not earned prior to three months preceding the failure, placing them on the list of unpreferred creditors. The decision of the lower court is reversed.

Gov. Scofield Quite ill.

Madison, Wis., Jan. 7.—Gov. Scofield is confined to his bed by a serious illness. No fears are entertained by his physicians as to the ultimate result, but it is believed he may be ill for some time. His lungs are congested and he suffers considerable pain. The governor's illness at the beginning of the administration and on the eve of the meeting of the legislature is important.

May Withdraw Banking Bill.

Washington, Jan. 7.—It is probable that the banking and currency bill reported to the house will be withdrawn, leaving no measure of that character on the calendar. An animated discussion has arisen among the members of the banking and currency committee as to the right of this measure to have a place on the calendar.

Mr. S. A. Fackler, editor of the Mi-canopy (Fla.) Hustler, with his wife and children, suffered terribly from la grippe. One Minute Cough Cure was the only remedy that helped them. It acted quickly. Thousands of others use this remedy as a specific for la grippe, and its exhausting after effects. Never fails. People's Drug Co., corner Main and Milwaukee streets.

SOLDIERS IN AN ACCIDENT.

Serious Mishap to Members of Fourth Ohio Volunteers.

Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 7.—Two hundred members of the Fourth Ohio Volunteers, who were gathered at the Auditorium here to be mustered out of service, were hurled from their resting place early Friday morning by a sudden collapse of the improvised beds. Twenty-three of the soldiers were badly hurt, although no fatalities are expected.

In order to accommodate the men, temporary double-decked bunks had been built of tent floors and of scantling. Under the weight of the soldiers the structure toppled over and collapsed. The seriously injured were:

John Kashner, company M, Ashville; injured about the neck and spine.

Gordon Withrow, company M, Hainsville; spine and abdomen injured.

Albert Barber, company H, Portsmouth; lower bowels and lumbar region.

N. J. Koffman, company E, Washington.

Edward I. Walker, company M, Circleville; back and abdomen.

Samuel Spangler, company M, Circleville; hip and back.

Charles Neal, company H, Portsmouth; back and neck.

Samuel A. Johnson, company H, Portsmouth; back and right hip.

Albert Messer, company H, Portsmouth; neck and back of head.

French Simms, company E, Washington Court House; rib broken.

George Newhard, company M, Circleville; rib broken.

There were twelve others who received severe injuries and many who were more or less bruised. Lack of bracing of the bunks is the reason given for the accident. The men in the lower bunks suffered the most. The extent of the various injuries cannot yet be told, but the medical staff is doing all possible for the men. Many of them were removed to the various city hospitals owing to the severity of their injuries.

La Grippe Successfully Treated.

"I have just recovered from the second attack of la grippe this year," says Mr. Jas. A. Jones, publisher of the Leader, Mexia, Texas. "In the latter case I used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and I think with considerable success, only being in bed a little over two days, against ten days by the former attack. The second attack I am satisfied would have been equally as bad as the first but for the use of this remedy as I had to go to bed in about six hours after being 'struck' with it, while in the first case I was able to attend to business about two days before getting down." For sale by Peoples' Drug Co., corner Main and Milwaukee streets.

Warships Will Visit Europe.

Washington, Jan. 7.—Portsmouth, England, will have two chances to see the American flag again in English waters. Secretary Long intends to send at least the cruiser Chicago to Europe on a cruise. This was decided upon some weeks ago, when it was impracticable to send a squadron.

World's Visible Supply of Cotton.

New Orleans, Jan. 7.—Secretary Hester estimates the world's visible supply of cotton at the close of the week at 5,205,145 bales, against 5,151,326 last week, and 4,380,441 last year. Of the former amount 4,966,145 bales is the American product.

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WANT THEIR INDEPENDENCE.

Filipino Governors Take a Determined Stand.

URGE AGUINALDO TO FIGHT.

Insurgent Chieftain Is Assured That the People Will Give Up Their Lives Rather Than Submit to Outside Domination—Matters at Iloilo.

Manila, Jan. 7.—The governors of various Philippine provinces have visited Aguinaldo, offering their unconditional allegiance to the Filipino republic, and declaring that the people are disposed to give up their lives and property in a struggle against the forming of any domination over the islands. Several of the Filipino military chiefs have urged Aguinaldo to fight the Americans.

The Spanish newspaper Oceana, in an article commenting upon the proclamation issued by Gen. Otis, says:

"We venture to predict that the effect of the proclamation will not be very favorable."

The Independencia, the leading organ of the insurgents, says in an article discussing the proclamation: "If America persists in disavowing our acquired rights and flings legions of soldiers against our well-defended lines, she will have a dark road to travel. We have the example of the heroic city of Iloilo, which prefers to risk the sorrows of bombardment to becoming a dependent territory."

The Filipinos will accept resignedly any sacrifice when they see their country's independence endangered. Do not plunge us into a cruel and brutal war! Remember the words of the greatest historian of the country: 'England, with 16,000,000, could not withstand 2,500,000 of North Americans.'

It is reported that Aguinaldo will come to Manila to discuss with Gen. Otis, the American military governor, the best means of reaching a satisfactory settlement of the affairs of the islands. The American troops have not yet landed at Iloilo.

Deny Reports of Looting.

Hongkong, Jan. 7.—The newspapers here publish the following from Iloilo, evidently from a Filipino source: "When the Americans arrived at Iloilo they found absolutely no looting upon the part of the Filipino forces, or conduct of any kind unworthy of civilized people. In conformity with their agreement with the Spaniards, the Filipinos entered Iloilo in an orderly manner and formally hoisted the Filipino flag. The Americans found a good government established and meeting with the complete approval of the foreign residents. The postoffice, customs and other departments were working smoothly under the entire control of the Filipinos. This dispenses of the allegations of the inclinations of the Filipinos to loot and kill. The Filipinos occupied Iloilo on the same humane principles which have guided their actions against the Spanish oppressors."

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Washington Conquered

Grip Takes the City in its Iron Grasp.

Government Machinery Almost at a Standstill. Enormous Percentage of Employees Stricken with the Plague. Capital at the Mercy of the Disease.

La Grippe epidemic which is just

now raging in the Capital City is more general and wide spread than upon any former visitation of the disease.

Fully one-third of the government employees

are sick or suffering from an attack of

the plague which is no respecter of persons.

At the hospitals forty per cent. of the cases are La Grippe, at the hotels many of the guests are on the sick list from the same trouble, while

physicians report hundreds of patients in every part of the city.

The attacks of La Grippe are made suddenly, usually beginning with violent headache, accompanied by fever and chills, with sneezing and running at the eyes and nose. These symptoms are followed by bone-racking aches and pains and a general exhaustion of the nervous system. From this stage to acute bronchitis and pneumonia is but a step.

The best remedy for La Grippe is to strengthen the nerves and built up the resistive powers so as to throw off the deadly disease germs. Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine will do this better than any medicine known to science. It is a nerve builder, brain and food restorative tonic of the highest order and has brought back health to thousands

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"I was tired out from overwork when the grip attacked me, and when I left

me I was a broken down wreck, both

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We are going to make special prices on lines in Men's Furnishings for this one day. Too many of the goods the reason. Every department mentioned is complete in sizes, styles, colors, etc., etc., and the prices, both former and special sale figures are exactly as quoted.

Men's Suspenders

With new, fresh elastic web full of good rubber; worth 25c a pair—always sell at this price, some places you pay 35c. There are at least twenty styles, and colorings in great number; Saturday sale price, 14c. They have patent wire and slide buckles, ends of braided mohair. Very durable Suspenders.

Another line of Suspenders with good webs, assorted colors, patent slide buckles, take-up ends, very strong and durable. Also a line of Suspenders with elastic ends, patent cast-offs, easier wearers; a satisfactory trouser supporter in every way. Both of the above lines sell regularly at 35 and 40 cents. Saturday sale price, 23 cents per pair.

Children's Suspenders, the regular 10 and 15 cent kind; Saturday sale price, 8c per pair. This is a rare opportunity for mothers.

Men's Hosiery

Men's 5c Socks, never sell for less; Saturday sale, 3 cents.

Men's Rockford seamless heavy or medium weight Socks, Saturday sale price, 8c per pair.

Men's black seamless Hose, guaranteed stainless in color, Saturday sale, 8c per pair.

Men's all wool Hose, regular 20c values, Saturday sale price, 13c per pair.

Men's fleece lined Hose, regular 20c values, Saturday sale price, 12c per pair.

Collars and Cuffs

Men's celluloid Collars, a large assortment of late styles in standing or turn down, all sizes and every popular shape; Saturday sale price, 12c each.

Celluloid Cuffs, all sizes and styles, 25c per pair.

Men's Linen Collars—Our regular 15c line, including every style in this department, all the late shapes and all sizes; Saturday sale price, 10c each.

Our entire line of 20c Collars, the 4-ply heavy linen kind, including all the latest styles; Saturday special price, 15c each.

Men's heavy linen Cuffs, the 25c kind, Saturday sale price, 18c per pair.

Men's Shirts

Men's fancy Shirts—Our immense assortment of fancy business Shirts with full color bodies and cuffs to match, the prettiest patterns out, Shirts that sell regularly at \$1 and \$1.25, your choice Saturday at 90c each.

Our \$1.50 quality of Shirts of which there are a large variety of colorings, some with full colored bodies with cuffs attached, others with detached cuffs; choice Saturday, \$1.15 each.

Men's unlaundered white Shirts, regular 50c value; Saturday sale price, 39c.

Men's white laundered Shirt, regular 75c value; Saturday sale, 60c.

Men's Night Robes

Men's cambric Night Robes with fancy embroidered fronts and collars, the regular 50c kind, Saturday price, 40c.

Men's Night Robes with very fancy embroidered fronts, the regular 75c kind; Saturday sale, 50c.

Men's extra fine Night Robes with fancy embroidered colored fronts, regular \$1 kind; Saturday at 75c.

Men's heavy domet flannel Night Robes, worth \$1.25; Saturday price, 90c.

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Men's fancy sateen Night Robes, white, pink, blue and tan color, regularly \$1 and \$1.25, Saturday price, 90c.

Handkerchiefs

Men's large size white Handkerchiefs, regular 5c kind; Saturday at 3c.

Men's large size cotton Handkerchiefs, fancy or plain border; 10c wipers, Saturday, 7c.

Boys' \$1 Sweaters Saturday at 85c.

Large assortment Men's Umbrellas; which prices will be reduced throughout for Saturday. Good Umbrellas, 60c, 75c add \$1.

Men's Neckwear—Taken from the 50c, 75c and \$1 lines in assorted shapes, many of them four in hands; all the late colorings and styles; your choice at 25c.

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